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This is in reply to the to the "final" Office Action, mailed July 12, 2007, and in response to the Notice of Panel Decision from Pre-Appeal Brief Review, mailed September 12, 2008. Thus, a Request for Continued Examination, along with the requisite fee, is submitted herewith to re-open prosecution.

A Notice of Abandonment was mailed December 5, 2008. In response, a Petition for Revival under 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b) is enclosed herewith.

Reconsideration in light of the claim revisions and remarks that follow is respectfully requested.

**Revisions to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.